

PESTANO, Linda
Preliminary Amendment

PATENT

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The specification is amended to correct a typographical error and to incorporate a reference to the parent application (USSN 60/444,010). No new matter is added by these amendments.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 206-467-9600.

Respectfully submitted,

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